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MILL ELECTRIC ARC FURNACE (EAF) DUST AND THE
PIGMENTS OBTAINED BY THE PROCESS

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Pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicants request consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement.

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the references listed on the attached PTO/SB/08A/B. It is respectfully requested that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the references be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

This Information Disclosure Statement is filed after the mailing date of a Final Office Action or Notice of Allowance, whichever occurred first, but on or before payment of the Issue Fee (37 CFR 1.97(d)), and after the filing of a Request for Continued Examination.

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2)(ii), Applicants have not submitted copies of U.S. patents and U.S. patent applications. Applicants resubmit herewith a copy of a non-patent literature article in accordance with 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2). Jebrak *et al.*, was previously submitted, but was incomplete and is being re-submitted herewith in its entirety.

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.97(g), the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement shall not be construed to mean that a search has been made or that no other material information as defined in 37 CFR 1.56(a) exists. In accordance with 37 CFR 1.97(h), the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement shall not be construed to be an admission that any patent, publication or other information referred to therein is "prior art" for this invention unless specifically designated as such.

It is submitted that the Information Disclosure Statement is in compliance with 37 CFR 1.98 and the Examiner is respectfully requested to consider the listed reference.

It is believed that all fees due with this paper are being submitted herewith. If any additional fees necessary to keep the present case pending and/or to protect the filing date are due, or any overpayment has been made, authorization is hereby given to charge or credit Deposit Account No. 03-1721, referencing Attorney Docket No. 2003390-0031 for any deficiencies or overages in connection with this filing.

Respectfully submitted,

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